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## CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) **REQUEST TRANSMITTAL (Small Entity)**

Docket No. 3596.02-2

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Address to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box CPA Washington, D.C. 20231								**			
	This same dest for filing	a · ⊠ continuatio	n or 🔲 divisior	nal application	under 37 CFR 1.5	3(d), (continued pr	osecution				
application (CPA)) of prior application number				09/228,821 filed on January 11, 1999							
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COMPOSITION AS AN ADDITIVE TO CREATE CLEAR STABLE SOLUTIONS AND MICROEMULSIONS WITH A COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID FUEL TO IMPROVE COMBUSTION  1.   Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior											
		nonprovisional application.					( )	_			
	2. 🛚 A preliminary ar	mendment is enclo	sed.								
	3. This application	is being filed by fe	ewer than all the in	ventors named	f in the prior appli	cation, 37 CFR 1.5	3(d)(4).				
	b.  The i	inventor(s) to be deattorney or author	eleted are set forth	n on a separate			TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1700	RECEIVED			
5. Small Entity Status:											
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	6. The fee for this	application is calcu	ulated as follows:					·			
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1	Total Claims	20	- 20 =	0	x \$9.00			\$0.00			
Indep. Claims		3	- 3 =	0	x \$40.00			\$0.00			

Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)

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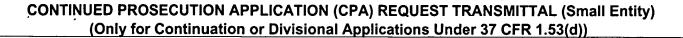
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7. 🛚	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit Deposit Account No. 16-1331	overpayments or charge the following fees to				
	fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17. fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.18.					
8. 🛚	A check in the amount of \$385.00	is enclosed.				
9. 🗀	An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:					
	a. 🔲 PTO-1449					
	b.   Copies of IDS Citations					
10. 🛭	Also enclosed:					
	<ol> <li>Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) (3 p.</li> <li>Preliminary Amendment A (20 pgs.);</li> <li>Petition for Extension of Time (Small Entity) -1</li> <li>Checks in the amount of \$385.00 and \$55.00; and</li> <li>Postcard.</li> </ol>	1 Month (1 pg.);				
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11. 🛚	The prior application's correspondence address a provided below:	will carry over to this CPA UNLESS a new correspondence address is				



## **NOTES**

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**FILING QUALIFICATIONS:** The prior application must be a nonprovisional application that is either: (1) complete as defined by 37 C.F.R. 1.51(b), or (2) the national stage of an international application in compliance with 35 U.S.C. 371. A Notice will be placed on a patent issuing from a CPA, except for reissues and designs, to the effect that the patent issued on a CPA and is subject to the twenty-year patent term provisions of 35 USC 154(a)(2). Therefore, the prior application of a CPA may have been filed before, on or after June 8, 1995.

**C-I-P NOT PERMITTED:** A continuation-in-part application cannot be filed as a CPA under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d), but must be filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b).

**EXPRESS ABANDONMENT OF PRIOR APPLICATION:** The filing of this CPA is a request to expressly abandon the prior application as of the filing date of the request for a CPA. 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) must be used to file a continuation, divisional or continuation-in-part of an application that is not to be abandoned.

ACCESS TO PRIOR APPLICATION: The filing of this CPA will be construed to include a waiver of confidentiality by the Applicant under 35 U.S.C. 122 to the extent that any member of the public who is entitled under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.14 to access to, copies of, or information concerning, the prior application may be given similar access to, copies of, or similar information concerning, the other application or application in the file jacket.

**35 U.S.C. 120 STATEMENT:** In a CPA, no reference to the prior application is needed in the first sentence of the specification and none should be submitted. If a sentence referencing the prior application is submitted, it will not be entered. A request for a CPA is the specific reference required by 35 U.S.C. 120 and to every application assigned the application number identified in such request, 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a).

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